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## Current Research on Legumes

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An Historical Note: The First International Congress of Systematic and Evolutionary Biology (ICSEB) was something new under the sun in several respects. For the first time it brought together botanical and zoological practitioners of systematics for the interchange of ideas, philosophy, methodology, and goals; this was the principal purpose of the Congress organizers. There was another less evident purpose, however; it provided an opportunity for specialists in various groups of organisms to convene informal meetings to discuss how they might cooperate more closely with each other and with scientists of all sorts whose work has the potential for providing new data for the synthesis that is the essence of systematic biology.

So it was that the devotees of the Leguminosae who were at the Congress came together for a very interesting meeting. One of the conclusions reached (there were not all that many!) was that we needed to be in touch with each other regularly and that a newsletter should be undertaken by someone. Initially, Tom Elias (Carey Arboretum of the New York Botanical Garden) volunteered to produce such a publication and he set about the task with enthusiasm; many of you completed a questionnaire which he mailed out rather widely. However, his administrative duties as director of the Arboretum finally forced him to give up the task and the editors listed above have stepped into the breach. How well we do at it is strongly dependent on your assistance, about which, more follows.

Credit for the name of the newsletter should also be recorded. It was proposed very early, perhaps even during the Boulder ICSEB meetings, by Mary Kalin Arroyo who was at that time assisting Howard Irwin with his research on Brazilian legumes but has since taken a position at the Universidad Central de Venezuela in Caracas. Responses to our 10 March letter to most of you have contained a few comments on the name, mostly favorable. It was not intended to be frivolous, as we believe the content of future issues will prove, but a rather fanciful title for what will necessarily be a highly diversified collection of news and notes of interest to leguminologists.

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What Will the Newsletter Be? "Que sera sera" may not be quite the correct answer but we mean to say, the BEAN BAG will be whatever all of us together make of it. But in the beginning the editors believe that what is wanted is news of new and completed research in systematics, new publications, honors conferred on any of our number, changes of address, requests for research materials, expeditions and other field studies (especially news of opportunities for participation), and other miscellany of interest to legume-lovers of the world. The newsletter will

not be able to take items more than about a fourth page in length (typewritten) and all items will have to have a direct bearing on the systematic botany of the Leguminosae. (Can we agree from the outset that both the collective view and the two or three family view of the assemblage are admissible in these pages? We happen to be "one family-three subfamilies" in our outlook.) Important as they are to human welfare, new strains of cultivated crop plants, for example, will not be reported on here, unless they have taxonomic significance. If we grow too large, too rapidly, costs may exceed the resources available to us.

Enclosed with each copy of the BEAN BAG you will find a news-collecting outline which you should complete insofar as necessary to bring the information about you and your work up to date, and return the form to us. We will use these data to put together the next issue and by so doing reduce the research time we expend in putting together the text each time. Your prompt cooperation will be greatly appreciated! But please send the form back by the end of September. ----- The Editors.

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Research on Neotropical Legumes in Argentina. (Editors' Note: This account was provided in August 1973 and then brought up to date in April 1975 by Dr. Burkart, just before his untimely death from a stroke on 26 April. It was already in manuscript form and publication of his notes seems to us to be a small memorial to a man whose scientific work has contributed so much to our knowledge of legumes.) Arturo Burkart has written us a fulsome account of the many legume studies at the Instituto de Botanica Darwinio in Buenos Aires and at other research centers in the country; the following is a digest of this very vigorous program, much of which is under his direction or supervision, or with his collaboration. Lic. Lilian Dora Bravo is monographing the Argentine species of Cassia using traditional as well as recently evolved methodologies.... Lic. Edith V. Gomez de Rabini is studying the local species of Astragalus, beginning with those of Patagonia.... Lic. Diana Murray began a study of Lupinus in northwestern Argentina where there are some 15 poorly known species, and Dra. Betty Sorarú is continuing the project.... Dra. Caccavari de Filice is engaged in palynological studies of the Mimosoideae of Argentina and has already published systematic accounts of the pollen of the Acacieae, Piptadenieae, and Adenantherae; currently she is working with the Mimoseae and in the case of Mimosa she has extended the series and sections in South America. She is also studying the pollen of Dolichos monticola, Dolichopsis paraguariensis and Vigna luteola.... Prof. Oscar Vilchez (La Molina University in Lima, Peru), during a year's study of Peruvian legumes with Dr. Burkart, revised Dalea, Zornia, and Vicia. Now back in Peru, he is working on a taxonomic survey of native forage legumes.... Ing. Agr. Anibal Vera V. (Universidad de Oriente, Monagas, Venezuela) spent three months in 1973 with Dr. Burkart becoming better acquainted with the taxonomy of Venezuelan legumes. He is working on a revision of Venezuelan Zornia species (about 13) and continues to study herbaceous legumes and forage tree-legumes.... Arturo Burkart has contributed in the past few years floristic treatments of the legumes for the "Flora de la Provincia de Buenos Aires", "Flora ilustrada de Entre Rios", the "Flora Patagonica", the "Flora de Jujuy", and the Mimosoideae for the "Flora Catarinense" (Brazil). The latter region is especially rich in species of Mimosa with about 45 kinds, of which six appear to be new to science. Monographic revisions are under way of Phaseolus, Adesmia, Zornia (Argentina, Uruguay, Southern Brazil), as well as continuing studies of Galactia and Rhynchosia. In collaboration with O. Solbrig, Beryl Simpson, and J. H. Hunziker, Burkart has completed a world monograph of Prosopis (4 species in Asia and Africa, 40 in the New World) which is being published by the Journal of the Arnold Arboretum. This is part of an international IBP project which promises to have great significance in the reforestation of extremely arid regions. For example, P. tamarugo in the Atacama Desert of Northern Chile has been planted for sheep forage; now this spiny desert legume gives

browse sufficient to maintain 16 sheep per hectare of forest. Most recently, Burkart is cooperating in a program studying the fatty acid composition of seeds of native legumes.... Ing. Agr. Antonio Krapovickas continues a comprehensive research program on the systematics and evolution of Arachis. He and his collaborators have collected topotype material during extensive travels in Bolivia, Paraguay, and Brazil to obtain living material which he cultivates experimentally, making crosses and studying the characteristics of the progeny. As many as 20 new species of the genus will require description eventually and several promising, highly productive strains have been reported. (More complete information concerning these projects may be obtained directly from Instituto de Botanica Darwinion, San Isidro, Buenos Aires, ARGENTINA.)

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Research Materials Sought. The most frequently requested material is seed, at least partly because of the numerous research projects around the world on the chemistry of the family. B. A. Krukoff (New York Botanical Garden) heads one such effort seeking seeds of as many legume genera as possible, especially of tropical ones; J. A. Duke (U. S. Department of Agriculture, Beltsville, Md.) and his associate C. R. Gunn want seeds for the USDA seed collection and to attempt to germinate in order to obtain seedlings of as many legume genera as possible; H. D. L. Corby (University of Rhodesia) hopes to find colleagues who will help him obtain seed from out-of-the-way places; etc, etc.

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Soybean Genetics Newsletter. The second volume of the Soybean Genetics Newsletter is now being prepared by Reid G. Palmer, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Iowa State University. The focus of this newsletter is the genetics and breeding of the Soybean and its immediate relatives, broadly interpreted to include areas relating to genetics in fields such as taxonomy, pathology, entomology, physiology, and biochemistry. It is hoped that the newsletter can reach interested persons in as many disciplines as possible. If you would like to receive the Soybean Genetics Newsletter, write to Reid G. Palmer, USDA, Soybean Genetics Newsletter, Department of Agronomy, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa 50010 USA.

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1. Research Projects:

- a. What projects have you completed in last six months?
- b. What new projects have you begun since last issue? Who is involved? What are the objectives?
- c. Note any research projects with which you would like to have some sort of collaboration. What kind of collaboration? How much time? What support might be available?
- d. List legume genera, or other subdivisions of the family, whose size and other factors would enable graduate students to undertake their study. Why would it be important to know more about the group(s)? Is there interest by others to see the work done? Do you know of any support that might be available for any part of such a study?
- e. List names of taxa of which you have expert knowledge, and of which you would be willing to annotate specimens or to provide other assistance:

2. Publications:

- a. List your publications on legume taxonomy, or some aspect thereof, which have been issued since the last BEAN BAG. Full reference to each paper, plus a not more than 10 word characterization of each should be included.

3. Research Needs:

- a. What research materials do you need? What parts? How preserved?
- b. Do you have research materials to offer? What taxa? What parts? How preserved?
- c. Do you need some unusual, difficult-to-locate literature reference? Author, title, date, etc.?

4. Field Studies:

- a. Are you planning an expedition or other sustained data-collection effort in the field? What geographic areas are involved? What are objectives? Is participation by other botanists or other scientists desirable? Possible? If so, under what conditions?
- b. Would you be willing when in the field to collect any research materials for your colleagues? If so, what kinds, how much, under what conditions?

5. Personal News:

- a. Have you been accorded some honor in the last six months? What was it and for what was it given?
  - b. Has your rank or work assignment changed in the past six months?
  - c. Have you changed addresses recently?
6. What do you suggest to improve the newsletter?

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_